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Ardmore, Wednesday, Feb. 3, 1915.



While we have no war and no earthquake, we still have the legislature to keep us guessing.

Federal liquor enforcement on the Indian Territory side has made liquor come higher, whether it made it scarcer or not.

J. Ray Williams has diagnosed the illness of Durant and pronounces it official. Five men there are seeking the office of chief of police.

The groundhog saw his shadow and the man who carries a buckeye in his pocket to cure rheumatism, will tell you the spring will be late.

The Texas legislature has gone on record favoring non-interference with questions where local communities can control. The Oklahoma legislature will probably do the same thing in proposed pool hall legislation.

"Grasp the proper conception of wealth, learn how to save yourself from the bondage of money, make the dollar your servant—and wealth will gravitate toward you"—a sentence used in Miss Hirschler's speech at the Cruce home-coming banquet.

SERVING THE PUBLIC

Is it dangerous to serve the public? If you have not analyzed the question, your reply will be that it is not, that service to the public is the only service that offers permanency of position and continuous remuneration, but when the question is gone into more deeply, one can see that loyalty to the public is not so easy. When a man in public office or a leader in any endeavor where the public is interested, has sought industriously and intelligently to win the approbation of his own conscience, he has done his duty to himself and in doing his duty to himself, he has discharged his duty to the public.

But is the public appreciative of the efforts of men in its behalf? Does the public put any force and prestige behind its friends? The public takes it for granted that officers are chosen to serve it, people go away and let the officer unaided and unwatched do the work. They often listen to criticisms and take up a cudgel against the man who is seeking to serve them.

On the other hand, the interests whom the public servant arouses are always active. They put money into their work, they hire competent men to carry out their plans, all kinds of schemes are executed to make the honest public servant unpopular.

Men ought to be slow in condemning other men, investigations should be made and such investigations should be thorough before criticism is indulged in. Biting and unwarranted criticism cause public men to conclude, "what is the use, the public cannot be pleased, the public cannot be served." The public does itself an injustice in making criticisms where they are not just.

See "After Her Millions," three-reeler. Theatatorium, Thursday.

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NEW ARRIVAL AT HOME.

(Contributed)

A new arrival at the Evangeline Home—"Little Andy," who lost his mother a few weeks ago. Fate has not been kind to the little one, and he does not walk as other little fellows do, for his poor little twisted limbs and crooked back make him different from "the boys" as he calls them. But, as if to atone for his helplessness, he has been given a sunny disposition that makes him happy all day long. No one can possibly understand the extent of this work, unless brought into daily contact with it.

Thirty years ago these children would have been sent into an "Orphan's Home," and grown up without any touch of the real life for boys like "Little Andy." These institutions may be necessary, but for the normal child we surely know a better way in which vast expense can be saved and natural laws can be followed.

These children, who will be gathered into the Home from time to time are not to blame for their condition. These homeless little ones are entitled to the best, and they are to have it. This Independent Child-Placing association, with the Evangeline Home, stands for the wizard that shall transmit the dross into gold—changing the lives of these little dependent, incorrigible children into the right channels, bringing the sunshine of clean, wholesome life into the hearts. And when sent into family homes the good is four-fold by making the home life into which they go sweeter and better by having them, for always before us is this great law: "As we give, so we gain." He who helps in this work by giving one dollar to our dollar campaign, is helping to build up a good citizen. The best possible use of money is to make someone better.

We are now starting out in Carter county on the dollar per year campaign, and, while one dollar is not so much, yet it will mean much to our work, if one thousand people say: "I will be glad to help the good work."

The Holy Supper is kept indeed by he who shares another's need. Not what we give, but what we share. For the gift without the giver is bare. He who feeds his neighbor feeds three. Himself, his hungering neighbor, and "me."

Miss Lucille Younge has not been seen in pictures for the past few months, owing to the popular actress making a tour of England, continental Europe and northern Africa, via automobile, in company with her mother. She is now being featured in two-reel subjects to be shown under the Navajo brand.

Canadian White Fish

Canadian white fish from the clear running streams of the north, at Claude Stubblefield's, Thursday. Order over the phone.

The ladies of the Episcopal church are planning a most gigantic affair to be held at the residence of Mrs. S. M. Davis on Saturday before St. Valentine's Day, which comes on February 14th. The ladies promise that there will be a display of home talent that cannot be surpassed. Hold this date in mind and make your arrangements to attend.

A child that has intestinal worms is handicapped in growth. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE destroys and expels worms; the child immediately improves and thrives. Sold by Bomar Drug Co.

Mistrial in Jackson Brown Case.

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 2.—In the district court here today the jury in the case of Jackson Brown, charged with a statutory offense, after having been out over twenty-four hours, asked to be discharged, as they could not agree on a verdict. Brown was held by the court for retrial and sent back to jail.

Lyceum News.

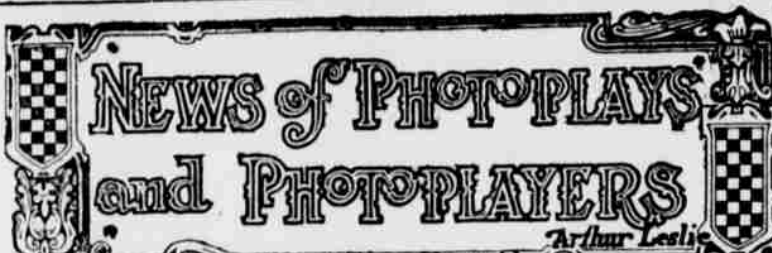
The Cathedral Choir, consisting of four female and four male voices, will appear at the High school Feb. 4, at 8:20 p. m. Reserved seats at Ringler's Drug Store. 2-3

L. Ko. means Lehman's Comedy Company (L. Ko.) Lehman is acknowledged to be the best slap stick comedy producer in the business.

Captain W. F. Whittington and Col. R. A. White returned from New Mexico today where they have been inspecting some lands that Captain Whittington is negotiating for.

See "Billie Ritchie" the funniest man in the movies. THEATORIUM THURSDAY.

Have you a house or a room you wish to rent? It will cost but thirty cents to rent it—try the want ads.



"Extras," the studio term, meaning those appearing in pictures, who are not engaged regularly by one company, received from one to ten dollars per day, according to the experience they have had and the work required of them. Payment is usually made the day the people work.

Wilfred Lucas played and produced on the legitimate stage twenty-two years before directing the making of pictures. His experience covered every phase of stagecraft, from farce comedy to grand opera. He was leading man with Rose Stahl, "The Chorus Lady" company, when he answered the call of the camera.

"THE MILLIONAIRE ENGINEER"

Theatatorium Today.

A prairie fire, the burning of the old Marks mansion at Leona Heights N. J., the race of a railroad engine, piloted by King Baggot, through a blazing forest, and a strike riot, are but a few of the features in "The Millionaire Engineer," a two-reel railroad drama, which is to be shown at the Theatatorium today.

Extensive preparations were made before this film was taken. Three companies of Universal actors went to Fort Lee, N. J., to burn down the Marks mansion, which has stood as the oldest landmark near Fort Lee, for over 150 years. Many delays were encountered before the requisite permits to burn the house were granted. Then another long delay because of bad weather followed.

When the house had been ignited King Baggot rushed in through the blazing doors to save Arline Pretty. The fire became so intense that his clothing caught fire and had to be extinguished with blankets. On the other side of the house Ben Wilson rescued Frances Nelson from the second-story window. Again the heat nearly caused a serious accident, for Wilson slipped while about ten feet from the ground, falling with Miss Nelson. He recovered quickly and bore her to safety. Rosemary Theby and Harry Myers fared no better at the rear of the building, for, while lifting Miss Theby, a pane of glass, cracked by the heat, fell upon them both and cut Myers' arm severely. A crowd of more than a thousand people watched the burning of the mansion and cheered wildly at the rescues.

Preceding the taking of the rescue scenes King Baggot drove a locomotive through a dense woods, which had been purchased at Coytesville, N. J., by the Universal. A railroad "spur" track ran through the woods and, as the Universal wished to clear the land anyway, permission was obtained to set the forest on fire.

Seated in the cab of the swaying giant engine, King Baggot, at the peril of his life, drove through nearly a mile of solid flame. Trees fell across the track and the speeding locomotive struck the red-hot trunks with terrific force, sending up showers of sparks. The feat had never been at-

PLAN TO HOLD RUSSIAN TROOPS

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Poland, and was wounded on the foot, when her sex was discovered. She has been decorated with the Cross of St. George.

No Relief for Prisoners.

Washington, Feb. 3.—Russia announces that American and other foreign relief expeditions will not be permitted to visit German and Austrian prisoners in Siberia.

Concentrate Against British.

London, Feb. 3.—The German attack in Belgium seems concentrated against the British troops about La-bassee, where the German fighting is almost daily and the British have suffered heavy losses there. It is believed the attacks are due to the frequently expressed German preference to inflict losses on the British when other things are equal.

Occupy Portuguese Colony.

Berlin, Feb. 3.—The Germans now occupy the larger portion of the Portuguese colony of Angola in Africa. It is reported that four thousand fresh Portuguese troops have sailed for Africa.

tempted before, and King Baggot displayed an astounding defiance of death in executing the stunt.

This is one of the most spectacular pictures shown at the Theatatorium in a long time.

"The Lion and the Mouse" is coming to this house Friday. Watch The Ardmoreite for further announcement.

CHILDREN HATE OIL COLOMEL AND PILLS

"California Syrup of Figs" Best for tender stomach, liver, bowels—tastes delicious.

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicious "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

LIST OF UNCLAIMED LETTERS.

At Ardmore Postoffice, February 1, 1915.

Ladies—
Coleman, Mrs. R. J.
Ellett, Mrs. E. V.
Forbes, Mrs. Mary
Hays, Miss Etta—2
Leeman, Mrs. S. L.
Mooney, Miss Minnie
Paxon, Mrs. E. J.
Payne, Mrs. C. E.
Pulis, Miss Myrtle.
Rickard, Mrs. Bertha
Thompson, Mrs. Wilma.
Walton, Mrs. Jack
Brown, Miss V.
McAvoy, Miss Sue
Moore, Mrs. Effie.

Gentlemen—
Allen, Randol
Amis, Rev. W. T.
Anderson, Tom
Beatty, W. L.
Bingham, Louis
Bryer, Cain
Carter, H. L.
Crosbie, H.
Devereaux, Jos.
Dufer, J.
Guler, Eli.
Hathaway, J. T.
Martin, A. W.
McAfee, Claud
Newsom, Claud
Paschall, Ed
Potter, Frey.
Price & Bucklen
Pruiett, J. H.
Quisenberry, Richard
Russell, A. J.
Self, Jack
Self, E. E.
Short, R. P.
Stiles, James
Thompson, Will
Wiley, Robert
Williams, W. L.
Wiley, W. V.
Wright, John
Yandell, N. A.

HELP WANTED

MEN, our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade in short term, mailed free. Write Moler College, Kansas City, Mo. 31-6t.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS, PEOPLE'S BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION—A meeting will be held at the office of W. A. Edwards, Secretary, 16 West Main St., Ardmore, Okla., on Tuesday, February 9, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing directors to serve for the ensuing year. W. A. EDWARDS, Secretary. 31-10t

CLASSIFIED ADS

No Advertisement for this Column Amounting to Less Than One Dollar will be Accepted Unless the Cash Accompanies the Ad. Ads that Amount to One Dollar will be Charged to Any Responsible Person.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—4-room house. Roy Alexander. Phone White 638. 31-3
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished front room, close in. Phone 641. 6t
FOR RENT—First class furnished rooms for particular people. 222 N. Washington. 13t
FOR RENT—Three front office rooms in Carter-Booker building. Apply J. C. King & Co. 13-tf
FOR RENT—Furnished south bedroom, modern. Washington Apartments. Phone 750. 3-3
FOR RENT—Six-room modern cottage, 118 C St., N. W., \$25. Phone 96. 29-5
FOR RENT—Brick business house, 72x100, First and Washington, for warehouse, garage or livery. O. M. Redfield, Real Estate Agent. 3-3
FOR RENT—5-room house near car line, with city water and gas. Phone red-107. Dr. C. McCoy. 3-3
FOR RENT—The Heth home in west part of city, an ideal modern home of seven rooms and bath. Phone 349. I. L. Pearl. 31-tf

PERSONAL

SEE E. E. GUILLOT—Bargains in real estate. Loans in the Georgia State. Insurance in the best of companies. No. 9 N. Washington, or phone 832-L. 15-1m

IF YOU DON'T KNOW where to get the best shoe work done, ask your neighbor. If he don't know, tell him at Dixon's the Quick Repair Man. We repair 'em while you wait. The best of leather only used. All work guaranteed at Dixon's. We buy men's old shoes. No. 9 B St., N. W. 24-1m

FARMS AND CITY PROPERTY.

I CAN FURNISH YOU—Any size tract from 5 acres to any size tract you want, part cash, balance in five years, at 6 per cent and 8 per cent. I have farm land to trade for Ardmore property. If you have any property to sell, rent or trade, see me. J. E. McCarty. Office phone No. 40. 27-1m

LIVESTOCK.

SEE WILL CARDWELL before you sell your fat cows, calves and hogs. Phone blue-530. 7-1m

MY FINE JERSEY BULL will make season at my barn on West Main Street. Will call for cows. Phone blue 530. Will Cardwell. 4-1m.

AM STANDING my fine bull at C. P. Hall's Wagon Yard. Terms cash. \$250. Jim Allen. 19-1m

LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—Near Bridgman's undertaking parlors, child's hat. Owner may get same by calling at Ardmoreite and paying for advertisement. 2-3

MISCELLANEOUS WANTS

WANTED—Set of books to keep after 6 p. m. Phone 564. 24-tf

TO TRADE for vacant, well located lots in northwest part of city, some good income property. Phone 699 or 783. 3-3

WANTED—A good white woman for general housework. Apply in person. Mrs. A. F. Scivally, 823 D St., N. W. 3-3

IT'S EASY TO TELEPHONE—Call at Scrivner's Grocery and get a "Telo-Vibrator." Free to all who have phones. 2-6t

WANTED—To do your auto work, charge your storage battery for \$1.00, weld anything of metal. Oxy-Welding and Auto Shop, 30 North Washington St. O. L. Ritter. 14-1m

STOCKS AND BONDS.

LIST your oil stock, acreage and royalties with me and I will find you a buyer. G. P. Selvidge. Phone 310. 12-1m

FINANCIAL

FARM LOANS—Plenty of money at low rates. W. B. Frame. 6-1m

MONEY TO LOAN—On improved city property and farm lands. Reasonable rate and early closing. W. S. Smith, 127½ West Main. 10-1m

WANTED—To do your building, loan you money on long time and low interest, free plans and specifications. W. D. Tallafiero, contractor. 31-10t

FOR SALE

100 ACRES farming land to lease for five years. Phone 102. 31-3

FOR SALE—50,000 DeWitt's Hand-Made 5c Cigars, every week. 9t

FOR SALE—My horse and surrey; cash or terms. Apply Wm. Pfeiffer. 28-3

WANTED TO SELL—100,000 DeWitt's Experience 5c cigars every week. 9t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A restaurant and rooming house, Main street. W. J. Lane. 25t

I SELL AND RENT TYPEWRITERS and handle ribbons, carbon paper, oil, etc. G. P. Selvidge, Phone 310.

FOR SALE—Six-room bungalow, new, modern, cash or terms. Apply to owner, 416 N. Washington St. R. A. Duncan. 3-3t

FOR SALE—15 full blood Rhode Island Red eggs, tested, for \$1.00. W. A. Hill, phone 21, office at Wolverton & Sons. 29-6

FOR SALE—Car of Jersey milk cows and springers; good colors and in good flesh, \$35 around. H. W. Stanton, Mt. Vernon, Tex. 1-3

FOR SALE or rent, a Kingsbury piano, reasonable. J. Goldsmith, over Rawlins furniture store. 25-1m

FOR SALE—Good dry wood, \$2.00 per rick delivered; also good prairie hay delivered, one bale up. Tell it to Cash Echols. 28-1m

FOR SALE—Oil derrick and casing of all sizes. If you want a bargain, see H. M. Pennington, or Julius Kahn. 13-1m

FOR SALE—Nice bright prairie hay in small quantities or carload lots. Write, phone, or see Virgil Landrum, Ardmore, Okla. Phone 294. 13-1m

FOR SALE—1914 Cadillac 6-passenger demonstrator, good as new, \$1,750.00; 1914 Studebaker 5-passenger, in good condition, \$750; 1914 Oakland, 2-passenger, in first-class condition, \$800.00. Three Ford roadsters, cheap. P. P. Kearney. 29-4t

WHO WANTS TO OWN two good homes at Nos. 902 and 904 N. Washington street. Cost \$3,500. Will sell for \$2,500 on terms; part down, balance like rent. Will sell separate. Write Urban Grocery Co., 400 West Locust St., San Antonio, Tex. 5-1m

VERY CHEAP—4½ acres near street car line; also 2½ acre farm near Chickasaw lake; also 340-acre Alfalfa Vale farm; also 730-acre Washita bottom farm; also farm land; also 125 acres, 3 miles west of Ardmore, and other farms. If you want something that is good and cheap, buy my 40-acre Elberta orchard in Ardmore—the price, appoint three appraisers and let them name it. W. P. Poland. Phone 48. 2-6t

NOTICE

RESTAURANT AND ROOMING House. I have it and don't want it. Do you? If so, size it up and tell me what you will give for it. John N. Imrie, Farmers' Restaurant, corner Mill & Main Sts. 17-1m

BIDS

Office of the State Capital Commission, Oklahoma City, Okla.
Sealed bids will be received at this office until 10 o'clock A. M. on the 25th day of February, 1915, and at that time publicly opened, for supplying the following material to be used in the concrete frame of the Oklahoma State Capitol Building at Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, in accordance with the specifications and form of proposal, copies of which may be had at this office or the office of the architects, Layton & Smith, 701 Majestic Building, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
23,500 ft. 1½-inch Conduit; 21,500 ft. ¾-inch Conduit; 190 4-inch round outlet boxes; 4-inch hole; 850 4-inch round outlet boxes; ½-inch hole; 361 4-inch square outlet boxes; single gang covers; 350 single-gang switch boxes; 18 three-gang switch boxes; 1 four-gang switch box; 2 five-gang switch boxes; 1040 fixture studs with 6-bolt; 700 ½-inch lock nuts and bushing; 2,200 ½-inch Lock nuts and bushing; 22 floor boxes; 100 4-inch round extension rings; 281 floor boxes for buzzer system.
Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for the sum of Five (5) per cent of the amount of the bid, to be forfeited, assessed as liquidated damages in case the bidder fails, neglects or refuses to comply with the conditions or agreements of his bid.
Bids must be filed with the capital commission, and an exact copy of the same filed with the Secretary of State. An affidavit shall be enclosed with the original bid to the effect that the copy filed with the Secretary of State is a true and exact copy of the original bid.
All bids will be submitted to the duly authorized committee of the legislature for their advice and approval.
The right is reserved by the capital commission to reject any and all bids. By order of the capital commission, commission this 22 day of January, 1915.
By P. J. GOULDING, Chairman.
IRA MITCHELL, Secretary. 24-1m